

September 12, 2025

We've had a busy and exciting week at Wilson! Thank you to everyone who was able to join us for Rock the Stand last Friday. We had a wonderful turnout and loved seeing our school community come together to cheer, celebrate, and spend time with one another. A special thank you goes out to Mrs. Chaney and Mrs. Player for leading students out on the field and coordinating our Wildcats for their big moment! We appreciate their energy and commitment to making the experience positive for our students!

We also want to thank our incredible volunteers who helped with Picture Day. The day ran so smoothly, and we saw so many amazing smiles from our students. We can't wait for you to see the finished photos.

This week, we began our grade level expectations assemblies. These assemblies give us the opportunity to connect with students, review expectations specific to each grade level, and dig deeper into *The Wilson Way*. Students did an excellent job listening carefully, showing respect, and participating in meaningful discussions. We are very proud of their engagement and thoughtful contributions.

Looking ahead, our first PTO meeting of the year will be held on Tuesday evening at 7:00 pm in the Wilson iLab. Whether you are a returning member or new to Wilson, we hope you'll join us. The PTO plays a vital role in supporting our students and staff, and your involvement makes such a difference.

Have a great weekend!

Take care,
Erin and Brian

Building Information

Walkathon

Walkathon fundraising kicks off on FRIDAY, September 19th. Please encourage your students to get excited about this FUN event at Wilson!

- [Flyers and envelopes](#) will be in your mailbox Thursday - PLEASE distribute on Friday, 9/19 so students can fundraise over the weekend. Please brainstorm with students ways they can fundraise to share ideas!
- Show this [KICKOFF VIDEO](#) (file will be added Thurs) on Friday to get students excited.
- Don't hold student envelopes! As soon as students turn in \$45, they are eligible for daily prizes every day going forward. So, the earlier they raise \$45, the more chances they have to win!
- If they need another envelope, they can use any envelope if they write the name, homeroom and amount on it!
- New this year: 100 students will get the top earner movie reward. Daily prizes will be student choice from what prizes remain & if they raise \$100 or more their name is added TWICE to the daily prize drawing!
- Walkathon is Oct 3rd. [Walk and Party schedule](#)
- Students who ordered shirts will get them the week of Oct 3rd. NOT ALL students will get a shirt because they chose to reuse last year's shirt.
- Please reach out to sarahmeyer mcgough@gmail.com with any questions!

Picture Retakes

Picture retakes will be on Friday, September 26.

6th Grade W Picture

Our 6th grade W picture will be on Friday, October 17 at 9:30 am. 6th graders should wear their 6th grade t-shirts for the picture. Shirts should be delivered to school in early October.

Fall Fest: Save the Date!

Fall Fest is Sunday, September 21 from 5:00 - 7:00 PM. Volunteers are needed for this fun event! This is a family friendly event for Wilson Wildcats! Come enjoy inflatables, games, and food trucks with members of the Wilson community. To help pull off the event, we need volunteers. Please click on the link to sign up to make a donation of goods or your time!

[Volunteer Sign-Up for Fall Fest](#)

Lunch Menu for September

- [SEPTEMBER LUNCH MENU](#)
 - Link for [ALL BUILDING MENUS](#)
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Kdg & First Grade Cafeteria Helpers

As our youngest Wildcats settle into the new school it's extremely helpful to have additional adults in the cafeteria to support students. If you're interested in volunteering, please use this link to sign up: **September Lunch Helper sign up.**

[LINK](#)

Counselor's Corner

[Springer's Parenting Tool Kit: Free Series](#)

Check out this series from Springer School (about 15 minutes from Wilson). You can go to as many as you would like.

There will be opportunities for support throughout this year, including scholarships for Enrichment Classes. If you are interested, please contact me directly or [fill out this confidential form.](#)

Just ask! Please reach out to me if I can do anything for your family. Smiles 😊 Jean Bode jeanbode@foresthills.edu

Volunteers/Chaperones

If you are interested in volunteering in classrooms, the copy room, or on field trips, you must complete a background check through the district's Raptor System. Background checks are good for 5 years. If

you are unsure if your background check is up to date, please contact [Lynn](#) in the main office.

- [Complete online process via Raptor System](#) (includes background check).
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Lunch with Students

We are excited that our families are able to have lunch with our Wildcats, and we love having our families in the building. In saying that, it is important that our students have time to adjust to the routines and procedures at school while building relationships with their teachers and peers. **Families will be able to begin eating lunch with their Wildcats starting Monday, September 29.** Below is the lunch schedule so you can plan accordingly. We appreciate your understanding and support! Click here to see the daily lunch schedule: [2025-2026 RECESS AND LUNCH SCHEDULE](#).

Unified Arts Schedule

The daily unified arts schedule and Friday rotation is linked here: [2025-2026 UNIFIED ARTS](#).

Wilson Cub Scout Pack 867

Interested in joining Cub Scouts? We will learn what it is to be a scout by completing the Bobcat Adventure and building birdfeeders from repurposed plastic bottles (bring an empty bottle with you)! Join us Tuesday, September 16th, at 6:30pm at Cherry Grove United Methodist Church- 1428 Eight Mile Rd.

New scouts welcome and current scouts bring a friend! We welcome K-5th grade boys and girls!

Contact wilsonpack867@gmail.com or kglaser09@gmail.com for more information.

PTO NEWS

Before / After-School Enrichment Programs:

Spanish - WEDNESDAYS, Sept. 10 - Dec. 17, 8:05 - 9:05am
Learn Spanish with friends BEFORE school! Grades K-6.

PIVO Academy – TUESDAYS, Sept. 9 - Oct. 21, 3:45 - 4:45pm
A fun, fast-paced futsal program that builds ball control, creativity, and confidence through small-sided games. Open to all grades.

Enriching Kidz: Home Alone - MONDAYS, Sept. 22 & 29, 3:45 - 5:45
For Students in grades 4 - 6.

Happy Racquets - THURSDAYS, Sept. 11 - Oct. 23, 3:45 - 5:00
Learn the games of pickleball and tennis while having fun with friends!

Chess Club - THURSDAYS, Sept. 18 - Nov. 20, 3:45 - 4:45
All levels are welcome to join and learn or grow their skills!

Restaurant Nights

Support the Wilson PTO, local businesses, and make dinner easy by stopping by one of these restaurant nights! Don't forget to mention Wilson!

- Wednesday, Sept. 17 : Chipotle [Anderson Town Center]
5-9pm
 - Monday, Sept. 22 : Raising Cane's 3-10pm
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Upcoming PTO Events

Wilson's "Wicked" Girls VIP Dance
Saturday, November 22, 2025
6:00-8:30pm

Wilson PTO Room Reps Communication OPT OUT

Wilson PTO Room Reps will communicate with homerooms to share information on parties, class events, etc. If you want to OPT OUT of communications from them, [please fill out this form](#) by Sept 30.

District Information

Feedback Requested for FHSD Calendar

Parents and guardians are invited to fill out this brief (four questions) online form to provide feedback on the FHSD academic calendar. The survey will close on September 29 and you can access the [survey form here](#).

FHSD School Connection Survey - Voluntary Student Survey

Students in grades 2-12 will have the opportunity to participate in our FHSD School Connection Survey between September 22-October 4, 2025. Parents and guardians received an email with additional information on September 8. As a reminder, families can request to opt their student out of the survey by submitting [this form](#).

Forest Hills Foundation for Education

Please join us in congratulating the [2025 Distinguished Alumni and FHSD staff member](#) recipients! We will be honoring the recipients at a luncheon at Ivy Hills Country Club on Friday, October 3rd and during halftime at the Anderson/Turpin football game that evening at Turpin. Also, save the date for our fall fundraiser and party, Denim & Diamonds. It will be at Belterra Park on Saturday, November 15th. You won't want to miss it! More details coming soon.

Are you interested in finding out more about Nagel Volleyball?

Our Blue, Silver and White girls volleyball teams are inviting elementary students to attend upcoming Grade School Visit Nights! You can get in the game without charge and meet with the coach after the 7th grade match to ask questions and meet players. Doors open at 4 p.m. with the 7th grade match getting underway at 4:30 p.m. Q&A with coaches will be between the 7th and 8th grade matches! These are all home games.

Blue Volleyball (players move on to AHS) - Sept. 25th vs. Walnut Hills

Silver Volleyball (players move on to THS) - Sept. 30 vs. West Clermont

Can't make it or have questions? Reach out to AD Terell Davis (terelldavis@foresthills.edu)

Elementary Hearing and Visions Screenings

FHSD is partnering with Xavier University to administer vision and hearing screenings for all students in preschool, kindergarten, first, third, and fifth grades this fall. **Wilson will have vision/hearing screenings on Tuesday, October 14.** These screenings are required by law. For more information about the screenings, including how to opt a student out, please [click here](#).

Team Tressel Fitness Challenge Has Begun!

We're excited to announce that FHSD has officially kicked off the Team Tressel Fitness Challenge at all six elementary schools! Students in grades 4-6 will set personal goals in fitness, nutrition and sleep.

Each student will track their progress through three levels:

Bronze – 10 days of healthy habits

Silver – 20 days of consistency

Gold – 30 days of commitment

For workout ideas, healthy eating tips and sleep strategies, visit the YouTube Channel at [YouTube.com/@TeamTresselChallenge](https://www.youtube.com/@TeamTresselChallenge).

Upcoming Events

K-4 Unified Arts Rotation

Friday, September 19 will be a "Thursday."

Sept. 15

Sept. 16

- Wilson PTO Meeting at 7:00 pm in the Wilson iLab

Sept. 17 Constitution Day

- FHSD Board Meeting at Mercer Elementary School at 6:30 pm

Sept. 18

- Skating Party at the Beechmont Rollarena 6:00 to 8:30 pm

Sept. 19

- Walkathon Kick Off during school